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[REDACTED], Deputy Director
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Ronald S. Kain, Director
International Surveys Staff, DHEW

Draft Letter of Agreement

In response to your request for comment on this draft I have the following suggestions regarding paragraphs 1, 3, and 4.

1. We would prefer to have the number of Sections to which we are committed stated in a round number (20), rather than the number of Sections 42, 43, and 46. Our reason is that if one of our analysts scheduled to do one of these Sections does not come through with the manuscript, we would like to be able to substitute another Section for it, and we might not be able to substitute a Section on the same subject as the one defaulted. The latter would be rescheduled for the following fiscal year, if necessary.

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With respect to the formal concurrence we feel that the terms of agreement should be signed by Mr. Robert A. Kevan, Deputy Assistant Secretary for International Affairs, who is my supervisor.

Thank you for giving us an opportunity to review this draft.

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